(b) the details of such schools in Delhi where infrastructure and other facilities/resources are not adequate;

(c) the steps being taken by Government in the matter; and

(d) by when such schools would be provided with good buildings and other infrastructure?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) to (d) Government of India has not sanctioned any Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya at elementary level for girls in Delhi.

Filling-up of posts of teachers

1457. PROF. ALKA BALRAM KSHATRIYA:
DR. T. SUBBARAMI REDDY:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry has taken up seriously the non-filling up of posts of teachers by the States;

(b) whether in West Bengal the Centre had sanctioned 73536 teachers' posts between 2002-05 under the Sarva Siksha Abhiyan but figures available till March, 31, 2005 states that the State has been able to recruit only 17018 teachers;

(c) if so, the State where sanctioned teachers' posts have not been filled up under the SSA; and

(d) the steps Government proposes to take to fill up all sanctioned posts of teachers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) and (b) Yes Sir.

(c) The states where substantial vacancies against teacher posts sanctioned under the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, as of 31.3.2005, were Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh and West Bengal.

(d) Since recruitment of teachers is the responsibility of State Governments, Govt. of India has taken up the matter with the respective State Governments.